DUNE Cryogenic Optical Links

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Introduction

Initial testing has so far failed to produce an SFP+ module (either Tx channel or Rx channel) that functions suitably when tested in LN2.

There is some indication that electronic issues are behind at least some of the failures.

Therefore, we propose to construct test hardware with selected components to try to identify the sources of failures and to identify suitable components out of which a custom CryoLink component might be produced.

FNAL will start with DFB-equipped TOSAs (modules with these performed best last week) and laser drivers suitable for driving those TOSAs.

We are working with Southern Methodist University (Versatile Link partners) who add valued knowledge and experience in this effort.



TOSA

GBLD:

GigaBit Laser Driver

GBTIA:

GigaBit TransImpedance Amplifier

TOSA:

Transmitter Optical SubAssembly

ROSA:

Receiver Optical SubAssembly

Versatile Link VTRx
Transceiver

Tx Connection (LC)

Rx Connection (LC)

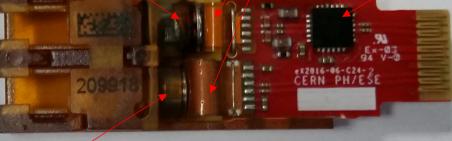
Versatile Link VTTx
Twin Transmitter

Tx Connection (LC)

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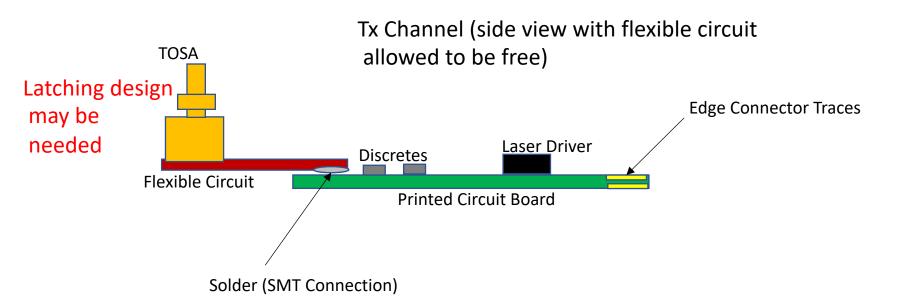
Flexible Circuits

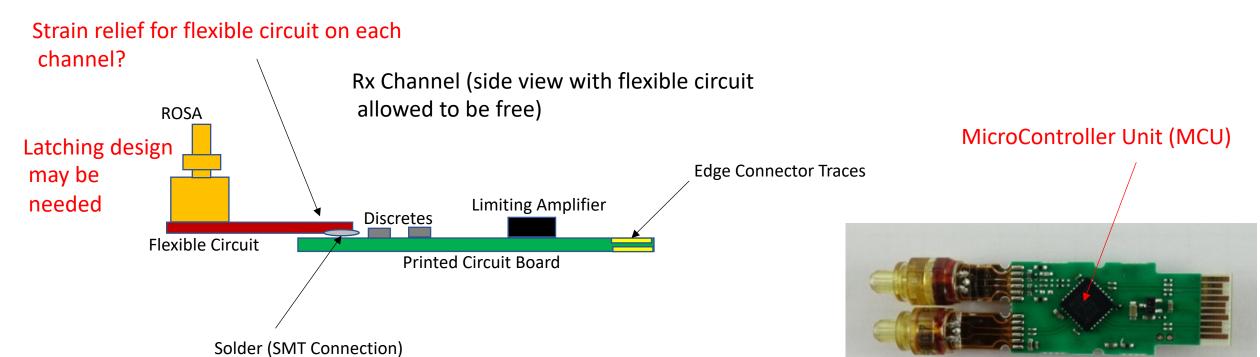
GBLD (Laser Driver ASIC)



ROSA (GBTIA Inside) Flexible Circuits GBLDs







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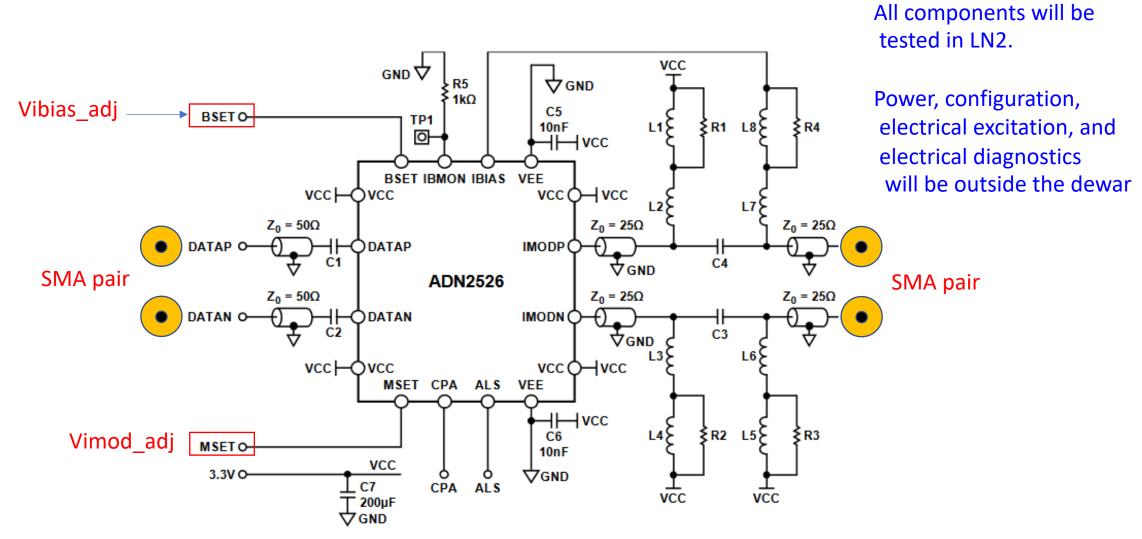


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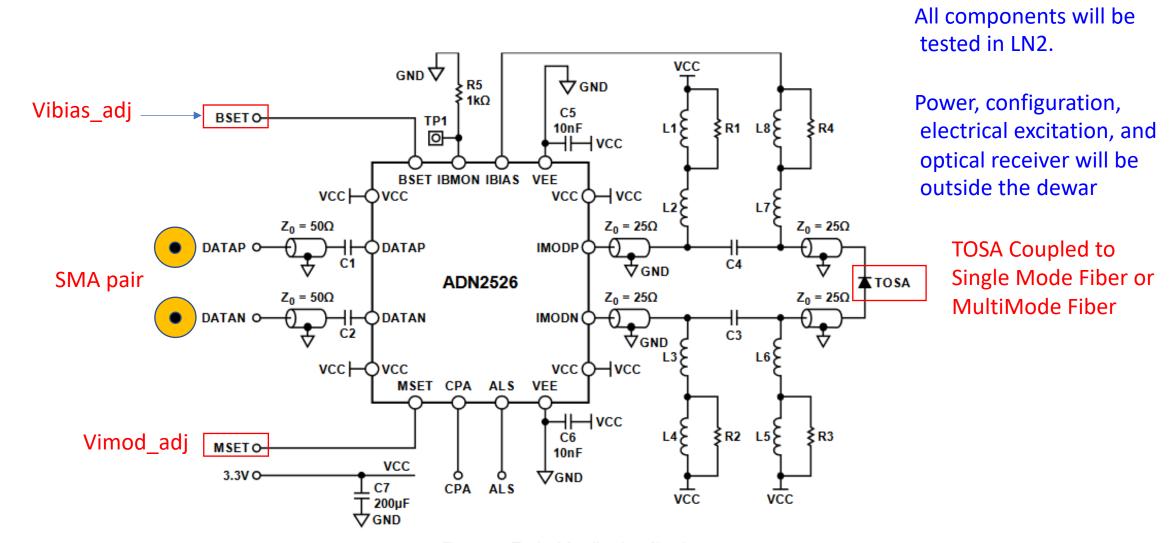


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Texas Instruments ONET1151L Laser Diode Driver

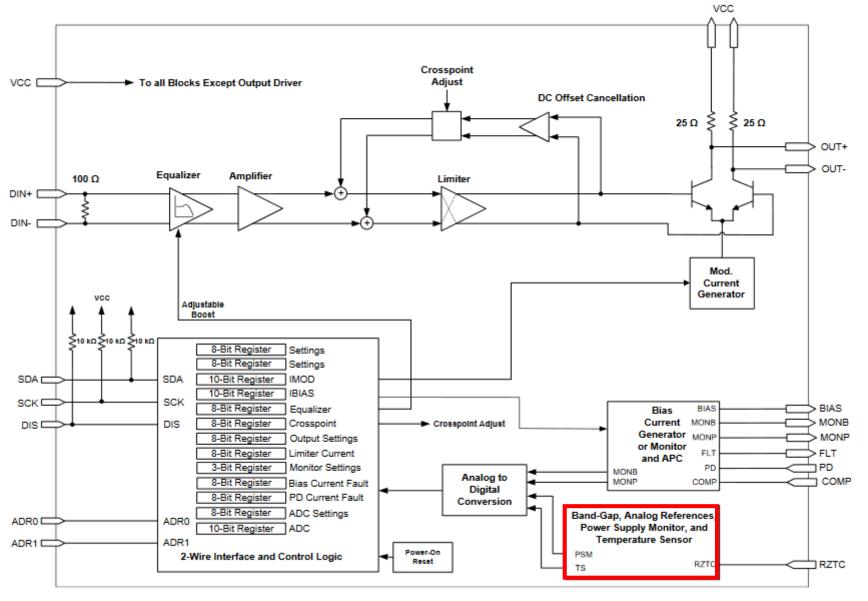


Figure 1. Simplified Block Diagram of the ONET1151L

Texas Instruments ONET1151L PAB Test Circuit Proposal (Stage 1) Optical Tests

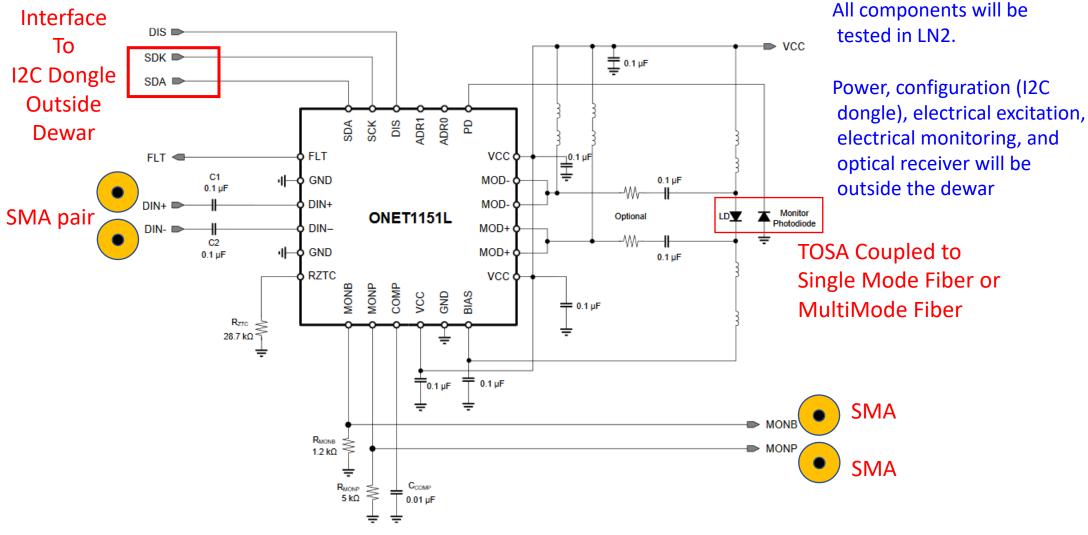


Figure 20. AC-Coupled Differential Drive

Texas Instruments ONET1151L PAB Test Circuit Proposal (Stage 2)

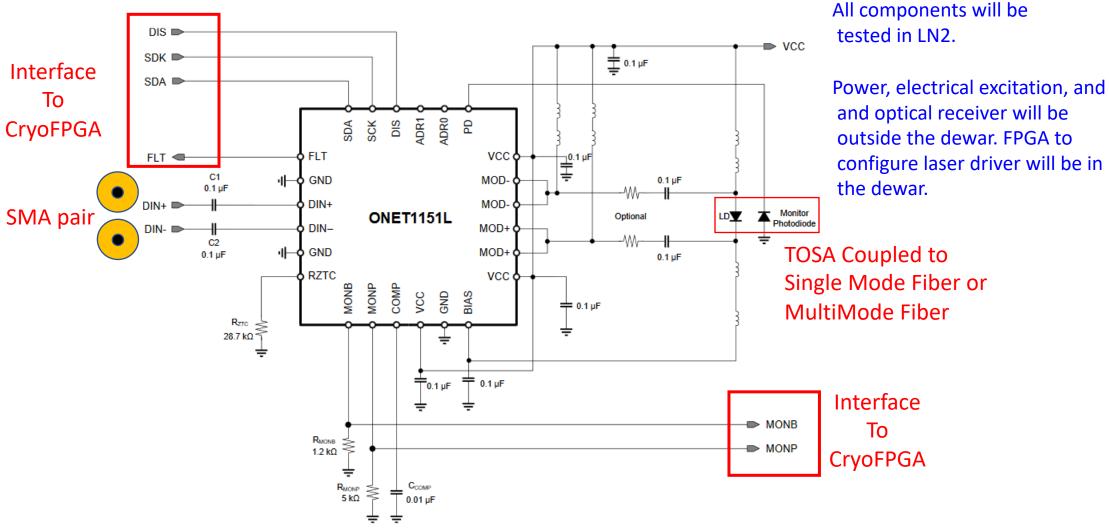


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Summary

FNAL and SMU will jointly investigate technologies out of which suitable CryoLink (CL) transmitter and receiver channels may be developed.

SMU will test TOSAs and ROSAs (including VCSEL-based TOSAs).

SMU has earlier experience with LOCId (custom laser driver) and Cyclone III FPGA in LN2.

FNAL and SMU will jointly develop custom CL Tx/Rx as necessary (if COTS modules cannot be verified in LN2).